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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

We, the selectmen of Troy, submit the following report for the year ending Feb. 15, 1905.

INVOICE OF THE TOWN AS TAKEN APRIL 1, 1904.

353 polls,	\$35,300 00
Resident real estate,	327,185 00
Non-resident real estate,	96,220 00
177 horses, valued at	10,740 00
18 oxen, valued at	980 00
229 cows, valued at	6,603 00
47 neat stock, valued at	869 00
10 sheep, valued at	42 00
115 fowls, valued at	58 00
Vehicles, valued at	1,540 00
Bank stock, valued at	4,800 00
Money at interest,	14,928 00
Stock in trade,	39,650 00
Mills and machinery,	72,400 00
Total valuation,	\$611,315 00
Reduced valuation,	305,697 00
Total tax raised,	9,170 91
Tax voted,	9,042 56
Surplus,	\$128 35
Taxes added,	10 50
Rate, \$1.50 per hundred.	

TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 1904.

Support of schools,	\$2,665 00
County tax,	1,096 15
State tax,	639 00
Town charges,	1,700 00
Town poor,	500 00
School supplies,	200 00
Police court,	100 00
Repairs on sidewalk,	50 00
Public library,	63 90
Highways and bridges,	1,528 51
Balance on hydrants,	500 00
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	\$9,042 56

AMOUNTS RAISED AND APPROPRIATED FOR SCHOOLS.

Assessed,	\$2,665 00
Supplies,	200 00
Interest on school fund note,	24 00
Literary fund,	138 60
Proportion of state school fund,	638 50
Dog tax, 1903,	204 15
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	\$3,870 25
Paid by order on treasurer,	\$3,870 25

TOWN POOR.

Charles Pope,	\$27 69
James Carpenter family,	176 77
Elmer Merrifield,	104 00
Mrs. Gideon Lamay,	342 24
Michael Enright, hospital bill,	116 57
Walter S. Cobb, hospital bill,	2 45
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	\$769 72

COUNTY POOR.

Mrs. Victor Peterson, hospital bed,	\$177 38
Miss Olga Honkola, hospital bill,	35 87
Mrs. Charles Paro,	45 86
Charles Long,	110 75
Joseph Harness family,	17 95
Frank Marrotte,	40 83
Mrs. Louisa Parody,	58 86
Herbert Freeman,	28 50
Bradley Hill,	45 00
Board and care of Balcolm child,	11 77
Mrs. Ida Maddox,	298 59
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	\$871 36

AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES.

Mrs. D. J. Nevers,	\$181 95
Frank Lupin,	232 94
O. L. Nash,	16 00
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	\$430 89

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS PAID.

O. C. Mason, balance services as selectman, 1903,	\$28 00
W. J. Boyden, balance services as selectman, 1903,	30 90
A. G. Lawrence, balance services as selectman, 1903,	21 00
Henry S. Kimball, school board, 1903,	45 00
F. Ripley, school board, 1903,	50 00
F. Ripley, moderator, March, 1904,	4 00
O. C. Mason, selectman, 1904,	85 00
A. G. Lawrence, selectman, 1904,	74 00
W. J. Boyden, selectman, 1904,	74 00
John H. Congdon, police judge, 1904,	100 00
H. S. Platts, school board,	45 00

E. Howe estate, collecting taxes, 1904,	50 00
H. L. Barnard, supervisor, 1904,	7 00
C. F. Lawson, park commissioner,	29 40
C. F. Lawson, police,	10 00
C. F. Lawson, dog killer,	9 40
C. F. Lawson, tree warden,	1 50
F. Ripley, school board, 1904,	40 00
F. Ripley, moderator, Nov., 1904,	4 00
J. H. Bigelow, school district club,	3 00
E. H. Gates, supervisor,	6 00
A. G. Lawrence, police,	10 00
L. B. Emery, supervisor, 1904,	3 00
M. T. Stone, town clerk, 1904,	25 00
Asa C. Dort, town treasurer, 1904,	30 00
Asa C. Dort, school district treasurer, 1904,	10 00
H. S. Platts, board of health, 1904,	5 00
H. S. Platts, collecting taxes, 1904,	25 00
J. L. Stanley, sexton,	87 00
J. L. Stanley, constable,	10 00
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	\$922 20

SUNDRY TOWN BILLS PAID.

O. C. Mason, mileage, freight and postage,	\$4 94
W. J. Boyden, work and lumber for band stand,	5 32
W. J. Boyden, express,	45
H. S. Kimball, reporting marriages,	8 50
Troy Blanket Mills, coal,	19 30
Pearson Bros., castings for heater,	7 74
School board, 2 flags,	7 00
Mileage and expense of Mrs. Sullivan to Concord,	10 60
O. C. Mason, mileage and postage,	2 00
A. G. Lawrence, team, taking invoice,	6 00
Bounty on 71 hedgehogs,	17 75
Joseph Lesperance, watchman, July 4,	2 00

C. W. Whitney, lamp for hall,	3 00
W. F. Burpee, work on hay scales,	4 73
Sentinel Printing Co., printing reports,	54 25
O. C. Whitcomb, plank for scales,	9 60
C. B. Perry & Sons, insurance on hall,	46 89
J. E. Bevan, ballot clerk,	2 00
Clinton Wire Cloth Co., stretchers,	4 00
Freight on roller,	12 00
Pearson Bros., repairing heater,	6 50
Geo. W. Tibbets, snow roller,	100 00
Bounty paid on 90 hedgehogs,	22 50
E. Howe, advertising taxes,	6 00
P. Boyce, winding clock and oil,	26 50
S. F. Silcox, truant officer,	4 35
S. F. Silcox, taking school census,	4 50
S. F. Silcox, watchman, July 4,	2 00
Eugene Turner, ballot clerk,	2 00
Mrs. Emily Turner, librarian,	30 00
H. E. Mellen, water tub, East Hill,	3 00
C. W. Whitney, sundries,	1 28
C. F. Lawson, flowers for park,	4 30
C. F. Lawson, repairs on lawn mower,	75
C. F. Lawson, work on water tub,	9 40
C. F. Lawson, 1 barrel ashes for park,	50
C. F. Lawson, wire fence,	50
P. Sullivan, water tub,	3 00
Troy Blanket Mills, work, pipe fittings, etc.,	9 21
Troy Blanket Mills, coal for hall,	148 15
Troy Blanket Mills, use of fire pump 5 hours at \$5.00,	25 00
John Sullivan, ballot clerk,	2 00
E. P. Kimball & Son, sundries,	13 52
Sentinel Printing Co., notices,	3 00
J. A. Duston, bolts for scales,	1 50
W. H. Spalter, books, stationery, etc.,	4 10
Chas J. Bigelow, ballot clerk, 1903,	2 00
C. D. Farrar, labor,	5 05

Thomas Mitchell, care of water tub,	90
Keene High School, Ralph Guillow, 3 terms,	30 00
Keene High School, Susie Corey, 1 term,	10 00
Keene High School, Casper Whittemore, 1 term,	10 00
E. L. Hardy, ballot clerk,	2 00
M. T. Stone, returning births, marriages and deaths,	23 30
M. T. Stone, express, stationery, etc.,	4 01
Asa C. Dort, postage,	38
H. S. Platts, postage,	61
H. S. Platts, returning births and deaths,	1 25
J. L. Stanley, keeping tramps,	15 50
J. L. Stanley, 1½ cords wood,	7 50
J. L. Stanley, work under hall,	3 00
O. C. Mason, mileage, postage, stationery, etc.,	3 70
A. G. Lawrence, mileage, counsel fees, etc.,	3 98
W. J. Boyden, work on scales,	5 93
W. J. Boyden, work on water, etc.,	7 59
A. T. Byam, services as sexton,	3 50
Telephoning to Concord for Ellen Sullivan,	75
Trustees of public library,	62 00
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	\$864 58

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES PAID.

State tax,	\$639 00
County tax,	1,096 15
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	\$1,735 15

MONEY EXPENDED ON HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

G. H. Congdon, April account,	\$50 92
G. H. Congdon, May account,	320 80
G. H. Congdon, June account,	337 60
G. H. Congdon, July account,	100 98
G. H. Congdon, August account,	165 40

G. H. Congdon, September account,	154 35
G. H. Congdon, October account,	102 48
G. H. Congdon, November account,	91 95
O. B. Howe, plank for bridge,	4 03
United Construction Co., iron bridge,	240 00
E. L. Stone, 2,000 ft. plank,	34 00
C. D. Farrar, stringers and poles,	83 92
C. D. Farrar, bridge plank,	24 35
G. H. Congdon, plank, blacksmithing, etc.,	54 96
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	\$1,765 74

REPAIRS ON RUSSELL AVENUE SIDEWALK.

\$33 30

DAMAGES PAID BY BRIDGE ACCIDENT.

Edward P. Foster,	\$1,000 00
Hattie S. Goodnough,	1,000 00
Thomas W. Starkey,	300 00
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	\$2,300 00

BREAKING ROADS AND SIDEWALKS.

Geo. H. Congdon, February and March, 1904,	\$143 50
Geo. H. Congdon, November, 1904,	8 90
O. P. Whitcomb, 1905,	34 74
Frank G. Lawrence, 1905,	3 50
Geo. H. Congdon, January,	159 99
Geo. H. Congdon, February,	128 40
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	\$479 03

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

C. E. Quinn, work on steamer,	\$2 50
H. S. Platts, merchandise for steamer,	60

Troy Blanket Mills, work on steamer,	27 50
E. P. Kimball & Son, sundries,	10 46
J. L. Stanley, captain, pay roll,	273 74
Relining hose,	87 50
Repairs on steamer,	233 71
E. Buttrick & Co., sundries,	3 21
E. Buttrick & Co., lumber for cistern,	4 18
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	\$643 40

NOTES AND INTEREST PAID.

Mrs. Ellen Parmenter, interest, 1903,	\$15 00
Citizens' National Bank, interest, 1904,	21 94
Keene Savings Bank, 1904,	27 22
Citizens' National Bank, note and interest,	805 00
Town treasurer, interest on school fund note,	24 00
Keene National Bank, interest,	24 75
Mrs. Angie Haskell, interest,	10 00
Mrs. Susan Lowe, interest,	40 00
Mrs. Ellen Parmenter, interest, 1904,	15 00
Mrs. Emily Lawrence, interest,	22 83
W. J. Haskell, interest,	25 50
Mrs. Martha Newcomb, interest,	12 50
Mrs. Elmira Spooner, interest,	5 00
William J. Boyden, interest,	20 00
Elmer E. Haskell, interest,	10 00
George H. Congdon, interest,	15 00
Levi A. Fuller, interest,	5 00
Mrs. Harriet R. Barnard, interest,	5 00
Monument fund note, interest,	24 75
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	\$1,128 49

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

H. P. THOMPSON, COLLECTOR.

1898 list:	
Bert Duston, left town,	\$2 34
1899 list:	
E. H. Dow, left town,	\$1 96
Frank Eastman, paid in Massachusetts,	1 96
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	\$3 92
1900 list:	
R. E. Rixford, left town,	\$1 54
Herbert Gates, left town,	1 54
Sherman Hill, left town,	1 54
James Lewis, left town,	1 54
Martin Leary, left town,	1 54
Thomas Paro, poor,	1 54
Fred Young, left town,	1 54
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	10 78
1901 list:	
Napoleon Dezolia, left town,	\$1 52
William Jordan, left town,	1 52
Alex Leve, left town,	1 52
Joseph Woods, left town,	1 52
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	\$6 08
1904 list:	

H. S. PLATTS, COLLECTOR.

Diamond Match Co., over-assessment,	\$42 00
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Total abatements,	\$65 12

ASSETS OF THE TOWN NOT AVAILABLE.

Hay scales,	\$300 00
Town meadow,	10 00
Town derrick,	50 00

Fire engine, heater and hose wagon,	3,900 00
Town safe,	200 00
Lawn mower,	5 00
Road machine,	100 00
Stone drills and hammers,	10 00
1 plow,	10 00
Iron bar,	1 00
5 shovels,	1 50
6 picks,	3 00
4 hoes,	1 00
1 bush scythe,	40
1 snow plow,	25 00
1 snow roller,	100 00
1 set balances,	2 00
1 dump cart,	30 00
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	\$4,748 90

RECAPITULATION.

Raised and appropriated for schools,	\$3,870 25
Town poor,	769 72
County poor,	871 36
Dependent soldiers,	430 89
Town officers,	922 20
Sundry town bills,	864 58
State and county tax,	1,735 15
Repairs on Russell avenue,	33 30
Damages on bridge accident,	2,300 00
Breaking roads and sidewalks,	479 03
Fire department,	643 40
Notes and interest,	1,128 49
Abated taxes,	65 12
Highways and bridges,	1,765 74
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	\$15,879 23

LIABILITIES OF TOWN, FEB. 15, 1905.

School fund note,	\$400 00
E. P. Kimball, trust fund and interest,	116 00
Mrs. Angie Haskell, note,	200 00
Mrs. Susan Lowe, 2 notes,	800 00
Mrs. Ellen Parmenter, 1 note,	300 00
Mrs. Emily Lawrence, 2 notes,	600 00
W. J. Haskell, 1 note,	425 00
Mrs. Martha Newcomb, 1 note,	250 00
Mrs. Elmira Spooner, 1 note,	100 00
W. J. Boyden, 3 notes,	400 00
Elmer E. Haskell, 1 note,	200 00
George Congdon, 1 note,	300 00
Miss Flavilla Gates, Monument fund, 2 notes,	600 00
Mrs. Harriet R. Barnard, 1 note,	100 00
Levi A. Fuller, 1 note,	100 00
Keene National Bank note,	1,800 00
Keene Savings Bank,	1,000 00
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	\$7,691 00

AVAILABLE ASSETS OF THE TOWN, FEB. 15, 1905.

Taxes in the hand of H. S. Platts, 1903,	\$15 90
Taxes in the hand of H. S. Platts, 1904,	105 07
Due from county for support of poor,	228 13
Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1905,	1,665 32
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	\$2,014 42
Liabilities,	\$7,691 00
Assets subtracted,	2,014 42
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Indebtedness, Feb. 15, 1905,	\$5,676 58
Increase over last year,	\$2,943 05

We, the selectmen of Troy, having been chosen a committee on lighting the streets, hereby submit our report. After a careful

study of the needs of the town we recommend that the town purchase twenty or perhaps twenty-five lamps similar to some that are already owned by private parties and put them where they are most needed on the streets of the town and arrange with different parties to care for them. We believe such a system, although perhaps not perfect, would be the most economical to the town and for the present would answer all purposes. We do not feel that the expense of electric lights could be afforded at present, and we therefore recommend that \$200.00 be raised for lamps and maintenance the coming year. For the various other sums called for on the warrant we would recommend that the town raise money as follows:

- Article 2. \$500.00.
- Article 3. \$1,800.00.
- Article 4. \$200.00.
- Article 5. \$2,000.00.
- Article 6. The sum required by law.
- Article 7. \$100.00.
- Article 8. \$200.00.
- Article 10. \$50.00.

The above amounts, added to the various sums required by law, would make about two hundred dollars more to raise than was raised last year and probably would keep the tax rate below one dollar sixty per hundred.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ORA C. MASON,
ALFRED G. LAWRENCE,
WILLIAM J. BOYDEN,
Selectmen of Troy.

We hereby certify we have examined the foregoing report of the selectmen of the town of Troy, N. H., and find it correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN H. BIGELOW,
WARREN W. KIMBALL,
Auditors.

Troy, N. H., Feb. 22, 1905.

UNPAID TAXES FOR 1903.

Hiram Eastman, balance,	\$1 62
Simeon Laurandeau,	1 90
John W. Norwood,	1 90
Chas. Paro,	6 19
Chas. Pratt,	2 39
Edward Reed,	1 90
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	\$15 90

UNPAID TAXES FOR 1904.

Mrs. Abbie Applin,	\$13 05
W. Applin, paid since 15th,	1 50
James Brennan, balance,	15 25
Isaac Crown,	39
Mrs. Amanda Clark,	9 00
Winfred Clark,	1 50
Napoleon Currier, not of age,	1 50
John Davidson,	1 50
Hiram Eastman,	15 09
Chas. Freeman, balance,	7 50
John G. Guillow,	1 50
Louis Gary,	1 50
Burton E. Goodnow, soldier,	1 50
Coolidge M. Mason, balance,	7 70
David Manilla,	1 95
Anthony Newman,	4 56
Andrew Newman, balance,	11 50
Ralph M. Pickett,	1 50
Chas. F. Ward, balance,	5 00
E. Newton,	1 50
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	\$104 49

REPORT OF AGENT OF TOWN HALL,

FROM FEB. 15, 1904, TO FEB. 15, 1905.

RECEIPTS.

Mar. 10.	Social dance,	\$3 00
Mar. 12.	Finn entertainment,	3 00
Mar. 25.	Box party,	3 00
Apr. 1.	Sugar party,	3 00
Apr. 2.	Finn entertainment,	3 00
Apr. 7.	Social dance,	3 00
Apr. 18.	Social dance,	3 00
Apr. 22.	Social dance,	3 00
Apr. 23.	Variety entertainment,	5 00
Apr. 29.	Box party,	3 00
May 2.	S. of V. social,	3 00
May 20.	Moving Picture entertainment,	3 00
May 21.	Finn social,	3 00
May 27.	Social dance,	3 00
May 28.	Finn entertainment,	3 00
July 29.	Social dance,	3 00
Aug. 6.	Finn social,	3 00
Sept. 30.	Dramatic entertainment,	4 00
Oct. 1.	Dramatic entertainment,	4 00
Oct. 8.	Finn fair,	3 00
Nov. 11.	Social dance,	3 00
Nov. 18.	Dramatic entertainment,	3 00
Nov. 24.	Fireman's ball,	3 00
Nov. 26.	Finn entertainment,	3 00
Dec. 2.	Social dance,	3 00
Dec. 30.	Social dance,	3 00
Dec. 31.	Finn fair,	3 00
Jan. 13.	Social dance,	3 00
Jan. 27.	Social dance,	3 00
Feb. 10.	Social dance,	3 00

Feb. 15.	S. of V., 9 meetings,	9 00
Feb. 15.	Trojan Grange, 24 meetings,	24 00
Feb. 15.	I. O. R. M., 52 meetings,	52 00
Feb. 15.	A. C. A., 13 meetings,	13 00
Feb. 15.	L. A. S., 11 meetings,	11 00
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		\$203 00
Less disbursements,		123 02
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Balance due town,		\$79 98

DISBURSEMENTS.

Feb. 15.	Oil, chimneys, etc.,	\$23 02
Feb. 15.	Janitor's services,	100 00
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		\$123 02

REPORT OF
MOUNTAIN VIEW CEMETERY COMMITTEE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1905.

DR.

To cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1904,	\$50 64
To cash received for lots,	46 00
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	\$96 64

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By cash paid E. Dagle for work,	\$7 25
By cash paid E. Dustin for iron work,	45
By cash paid Dagle for cutting brush,	3 00
By cash paid for scythe and snath,	1 50
By cash paid W. J. Boyden for work on gates,	1 00
By cash paid W. P. Lowe for work,	75
By cash paid W. J. Boyden for work in July,	4 25

By cash paid Josiah Ruffle for work,	8 23
By cash paid W. J. Boyden for work in August,	11 00
By cash paid Walter Haskell for use of horse,	2 00
By cash paid E. P. Kimball & Son for cement,	45
Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1905,	56 76

\$96 64

W. J. BOYDEN,
Committee.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT.

BREAKING ROADS AND SIDEWALKS FROM FEB. 15 TO MARCH 1, 1904.

Geo. H. Congdon, 64 hours at 20c,	\$12 80
Geo. H. Congdon, team, 45 hours at 20c,	9 00
Arthur Jarvis, 26 hours at 15c,	3 90
E. Doolan, 42 hours at 15c,	6 30
Thomas Mitchell, 40 hours at 15c,	6 00
Andrew Jarvis, 8 hours at 15c,	1 20
Moses Stone, 26 hours at 15c,	3 90
Moses Abare, 3 hours at 15c,	45
C. M. Barnard and team, 12 hours at 35c,	4 20
E. Cashman, 17 hours at 15c,	2 55
Alex Delony, 20 hours at 15c,	3 00
C. S. Starkey, 48 hours at 15c,	7 20

\$60 50

MARCH TO APRIL, 1904.

G. H. Congdon, 53 hours at 20c,	\$10 60
G. H. Congdon, team, 19 hours at 20c,	3 80
John St. Ormant, 34 hours at 15c,	5 10
E. Doolan, 29 hours at 15c,	4 35
Thomas Mitchell, 27 hours at 15c,	4 05
Andrew Jarvis, 8 hours at 15c,	1 25
O. P. Whitcomb and team,	17 07

L. H. Merrifield, man and team,	10 50
E. E. Foster, man and team,	16 65
L. F. Breed, 64 hours at 15c,	9 60
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	\$83 00

APRIL ACCOUNT.

G. H. Congdon, 63 hours at 20c,	\$12 60
G. H. Congdon, team, 29 hours at 20c,	5 80
Arthur Jarvis, 30 hours at 15c,	4 50
Thomas Mitchell, 28 hours at 15c,	4 20
Frank Lewis, 21 hours at 15c,	3 15
P. Sullivan, 21 hours at 15c,	3 15
E. Doolan, 20 hours,	3 00
O. P. Whitcomb,	3 92
L. LaPoint, 17 hours at 15c,	2 55
Moses Stone, 12 hours,	1 80
Octave Duprey, 15 hours at 15c,	2 25
J. M. Dustin, repairs on snow plow,	4 00
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	\$50 92

MAY ACCOUNT.

G. H. Congdon, 229 hours at 20c,	\$45 80
G. H. Congdon, 219 hours at 20c,	43 80
Arthur Jarvis, 189 hours at 15c,	28 35
Thomas Mitchell, 217 hours at 15c,	32 55
Octave Duprey, 204 hours at 15c,	30 60
Ed. Doolan, 223 hours at 15c,	33 45
Dan Hayes, 179 hours at 15c,	26 85
E. P. Kimball & Son, man and team, 188 hours at 35c,	65 80
Ed. Brandt, 14 hours at 15c,	2 10
Ed. Brandt, 40 loads gravel at 10c,	4 00
C. D. Farrar, 40 loads gravel at 10c,	4 00
W. N. Clark, 20 loads gravel at 10c,	2 00
A. C. Dort, 15 loads gravel at 10c,	1 50
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	\$320 80

JUNE ACCOUNT.

G. H. Congdon, 234 hours at 20c,	\$46 80
G. H. Congdon, team, 223 hours at 20c,	44 60
Arthur Jarvis, 230 hours at 15c,	34 50
Thomas Mitchell, 218 hours at 15c,	32 70
Octave Duprey, 196 hours at 15c,	29 40
Ed. Doolan, 227 hours at 15c,	34 05
E. P. Kimball & Son, man and team, 176 hours at 35c,	61 60
Dan. Hayes, 183 hours at 15c,	27 45
Fred Frazier and team, 50 hours at 35c,	17 50
Henry Frazier, 40 hours at 15c,	6 00
John Mitchell, 10 hours at 15c,	1 50
Andrew Jarvis, 10 hours at 15c,	1 50
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	\$337 60

JULY ACCOUNT.

G. H. Congdon, 80 hours at 20c,	\$16 00
G. H. Congdon, team, 80 hours at 20c,	16 00
Arthur Jarvis, 30 hours at 15c,	4 50
Thomas Mitchell, 64 hours at 15c,	9 60
Ed. Doolan, 40 hours at 15c,	6 00
Dan. Hayes, 50 hours at 15c,	7 50
Andrew Jarvis, 50 hours at 15c,	7 50
H. A. Eastman, work on bridge,	2 60
J. U. Duston, blacksmithing,	1 50
Troy White Granite Co., 530 ft. railing,	5 30
E. L. Stone, 1,440 ft. plank at \$17 M.,	24 48
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	\$100 98

AUGUST ACCOUNT.

George H. Congdon, 190 hours at 20c,	\$38 00
George H. Congdon, team, 173 hours at 20c,	34 60
Arthur Jarvis, 186 hours at 15c,	27 90
Thomas Mitchell, 165 hours at 15c,	24 75
Ed. Doolan, 181 hours at 15c,	27 15

Andrew Jarvis, 20 hours at 15c,	3 00
Troy Brick Co., dirt,	10 00
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	\$165 40

SEPTEMBER ACCOUNT.

George H. Congdon, 150 hours at 20c,	\$30 00
George H. Congdon, team, 124 hours at 20c,	24 80
Arthur Jarvis, 115 hours at 15c,	17 25
Thomas Mitchell, 121 hours at 15c,	18 15
Ed. Doolan, 132 hours at 15c,	19 80
Andrew Jarvis, 130 hours at 15c,	19 50
Dan Hayes, 114 hours,	17 10
Moses Stone, 5 hours at 15c,	75
O. C. Whitcomb, watering tub,	7 00
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	\$154 35
Repairs on Russell Ave. sidewalk,	\$33 30

OCTOBER ACCOUNT.

G. H. Congdon, 124 hours at 20c,	\$24 80
G. H. Congdon, team, 121 hours at 20c,	24 20
Thomas Mitchell, 100 hours at 15c,	15 00
Ed. Doolan, 50 hours at 15c,	7 50
Arthur Jarvis, 94 hours at 15c,	14 10
C. D. Farrar, 40 loads gravel at 10c,	4 00
Troy White Granite Co., 400 feet R. poles,	4 26
O. P. Whitcomb, 464 feet R. poles,	4 62
Troy Brick Co., 40 loads gravel,	4 00
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	\$102 48

NOVEMBER ACCOUNT.

G. H. Congdon, 113 hours at 20c,	\$22 60
G. H. Congdon, team, 101 hours at 20c,	20 20
Thomas Mitchell, 102 hours at 15c,	15 30
Arthur Jarvis, 84 hours at 15c,	12 60
E. Daigle, 45 hours at 15c,	6 75

Moses Stone, 15 hours at 15c,	2 25
Henry Frazier and team, 25 hours at 35c,	8 75
Fred Frazier and team, 10 hours at 35c,	3 50
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	\$91 95

BREAKING ROADS AND SIDEWALKS.

G. H. Congdon and team, 8 hours at 40c,	\$3 20
Arthur Jarvis, 7 hours at 15c,	1 05
Thomas Mitchell, 8 hours at 15c,	1 20
Moses Stone, 15 hours at 15c,	2 25
H. Miller, 5 hours at 15c,	75
N. H. Coddington, 3 hours at 15c,	45
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	\$8 90

JANUARY ACCOUNT.

G. H. Congdon, 112 hours at 20c,	\$22 40
G. H. Congdon, 112 hours at 20c,	22 40
Arthur Jarvis, 66 hours at 15c,	9 90
Thomas Mitchell, 95 hours at 15c,	14 25
Sam Webber, 34 hours at 15c,	5 10
John St. Ormant, 29 hours at 15c,	4 35
Michael Venn, 25 hours at 15c,	3 75
Robert Congdon, 19 weeks at 15c,	2 85
Andrew Jarvis, 28 hours at 15c,	4 20
Moses Stone, 60 hours at 15c,	9 00
W. E. Parker, 56 hours at 15c,	8 40
F. J. Merrifield, team, 20 hours at 35c,	7 00
Chas. Freeman, 44 hours at 15c,	6 60
Sam. Stone, 5 hours at 15c,	75
Daniel Casey, 15 hours at 15c,	2 25
Joseph Marrotte, 24 hours at 15c,	3 60
N. H. Coddington and team,	28 69
G. H. Congdon, one horse 30 hours,	4 50
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	\$159 99

FEBRUARY ACCOUNT, 1905.

G. H. Congdon, 63 hours at 20c,	\$12 60
G. H. Congdon, team, 59 hours at 20c,	11 80
Thomas Mitchell, 41 hours at 15c,	6 15
A. C. Dort and team, 4 hours at 35c,	1 40
L. Lapoint, 24 hours at 15c,	3 60
L. Breed, 24 hours at 15c,	3 60
D. Merrifield, 33 hours at 15c,	4 95
D. Merrifield, team, 13 hours at 15c,	2 60
H. F. Mills, 13 hours at 15c,	1 95
Arthur Jarvis, 13 hours at 15c,	1 95
Andrew Jarvis, 8 hours at 15c,	1 20
D. Carey, 8 hours at 15c,	1 20
Mat Radigan, 32 hours at 15c,	4 80
W. E. Parker, 17 hours at 15c,	2 55
P. Sullivan, 9 hours at 15c,	1 35
C. S. Starkey,	19 35
Mrs. Mary Merrifield, man and team,	38 50
A. H. Haskell,	6 77
F. E. Whitcomb,	2 08
O. P. Whitcomb,	34 74
Frank G. Lawrence, 1 day,	3 50
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	\$166 64

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1905.

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Cash in treasury,	\$1,973 30
School fund note,	400 00
E. P. Kimball, cemetery fund,	112 00
Taxes in hands of H. P. Thompson, 1898,	2 34
Taxes in hands of H. P. Thompson, 1899,	3 92
Taxes in hands of H. P. Thompson, 1900,	10 78
Taxes in hands of H. P. Thompson, 1901,	9 12
Taxes in hands of E. Howe, 1903,	289 97
From county, aid to dependent soldiers,	466 19
From county, support of paupers,	884 25
State tax,	639 00
County tax,	1,096 15
Support of schools,	2,665 00
Town charges,	1,700 00
Town poor,	500 00
School supplies,	200 00
Police court,	100 00
Sidewalk for Russell Ave.,	50 00
Town public library,	63 90
Highways and bridges,	1,528 51
Pipe and hydrants, fire purposes,	500 00
Seven taxes added,	10 50
Taxes run above sum voted,	128 35
Court fees and fines,	31 00

Advertising 1904 non-resident taxes,	6 00
From state bounty on hedgehogs,	25 50
License commissioners, licenses,	16 28
Old plank sold,	1 50
For dog licenses, M. T. Stone,	188 08
Interest refunded Citizens' National Bank,	5 42
Borrowed of Keene Savings Bank,	1,000 00
Borrowed of Flavilla Gates, monument fund,	300 00
Borrowed of Keene National Bank,	1,800 00
Borrowed of Mrs. Emily Lawrence,	200 00
Railroad tax,	165 50
Savings bank tax,	135 12
Literary fund,	138 60
Proportion school fund, state,	638 50
High school tuition, state,	5 10
Use of hay scales, E. P. Kimball & Son,	47 05
Use of town hall,	79 98
Interest on school fund note,	24 00
H. E. Boyden, Exr. E. Howe, interest 1903 tax,	11 10
H. E. Boyden, Exr. E. Howe, interest 1904 tax,	1 96
H. S. Platts, interest 1903 tax,	2 60
H. S. Platts, interest 1904 tax,	24 35
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	\$18,181 52

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By payment of 160 orders of selectmen,	\$15,879 23
School fund note,	400 00
E. P. Kimball, cemetery fund and interest,	116 00
Taxes in hands of H. S. Platts, 1903,	15 90
Taxes in hands of H. S. Platts, 1904,	105 07
Cash in treasury,	1,665 32
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	\$18,181 52

ASA C. DORT,
Treasurer.

We hereby certify we have examined the foregoing report of the treasurer of the town of Troy, N. H., and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN H. BIGELOW,
WARREN W. KIMBALL,
Auditors.

REPORT OF SCHOOLS,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1905.

GRADUATES SINCE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF GRADED SCHOOLS.

CLASS OF 1896.

Charlotte Bemis Farrar.	Julia Maria Fuller.
Grace Alice Clark.	Louisa Isabel Keyes.
Jessie Evelyn Mahon.	Charles Irwin Bigelow.
Luna Florence Perry.	John Herrick Lawson.
Michael James Sullivan.	

CLASS OF 1897.

Flora Alice Gee.	Charles Harrison Congdon.
Clara Burns Greenwood.	Stephen Andrew Congdon.
Florence Anice Hardy.	Geo. Livingstone Parmenter.
Harold Edward Boyden.	Edwin Smith.
Elwin Smith.	

CLASS OF 1898.

Grace Elliot Whitcomb.	Henry Elwin Coolidge.
David Warren Farrar.	Franklin Ripley, Jr.

CLASS OF 1899.

Lela Helen Baker.	Catherine Alice Lynch.
Susie May Corey.	Ina Mabel Mason.
Roy Nelson Jellison.	Nellie Smith.

CLASS OF 1900:

Luman Downing Barnard.	Florence Mabel Hale.
Mertina Elizabeth Mahon.	Elizabeth Ripley.
Mary Lillian Starkey.	Myrtie Blanche Starkey.
Nellie Gertrude Starkey.	

CLASS OF 1901.

Mary Adelaide Stanford.

CLASS OF 1902.

Flora Augusta Clark.	Florence Abigail Clark.
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CLASS OF 1903.

Elsie May Greenwood.	Mary Sophia Ripley.
Florence Helen Nevers.	Beatrice Belle Townsend.

CLASS OF 1904.

Mary Gertrude Starkey.	Rosa Bushey.
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COURSE OF STUDY.

REVISED FOR THE GRADED SCHOOLS OF TROY, MARCH 1, 1905.

For the year commencing September 1, 1905.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

FIRST GRADE—FIRST YEAR.

ENGLISH.

Reading—Finch Primer, Ward Primer, Child Life First Reader, and Cyr First Reader.

Spelling—Daily drill in phonetic sounds, and familiar words in letters and script.

Writing—Vertical system, copying on slates and paper.

Literature—Rhymes, fables and simple poems; follow directions in Special Outline.

ARITHMETIC—Numbers 1 to 10 with their combinations; use as guides Werner Hand-Book, Hall Primer and State Course of Study.

MUSIC—Normal Course. See outline of supervisor of music.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE—New Century Oral Lesson Book as guide.

NATURE STUDY—In this and succeeding grades, use as guides outline prepared by State Teachers' Association. Unite the grades.

DRAWING—See outline of supervisor of drawing.

No scholar admitted except at beginning of fall term. Minimum age for admission, five and one-half years.

SECONDARY DEPARTMENT.

SECOND GRADE—SECOND YEAR.

ENGLISH.

Reading—Reynard the Fox, Ward First Reader, In Mythland, and Morse Second Book.

Spelling—Daily drill, words taken from Readers and prepared lists.

Writing—Spencerian Vertical, Number 1.

Literature—Follow the Special Outline.

Language—Follow outline accompanying Mother Tongue.

ARITHMETIC—Combinations 10 to 25; Prince's Book 1; as guides, Werner Hand-Book, Hall Primer and State Course of Study.

GEOGRAPHY—Oral instructions about the earth and surrounding natural objects.

MUSIC—Normal Course. See outline of supervisor of music.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE—New Century Oral Lesson Book as guide.

NATURE STUDY—See direction for Grade 1.

DRAWING—See outline of supervisor of drawing.

THIRD GRADE—THIRD YEAR.

ENGLISH.

Reading—Ward Second Reader, Baldwin Third Reader. For much of the subject matter in this and succeeding grades

teachers are referred to the Special Outline on Literature and to the historical and nature readers.

Spelling—Continue work of Grade 2.

Writing—Spencerian Vertical, No. 2.

Language—Mother Tongue, follow Special Outline.

Literature—Follow the Special Outline.

ARITHMETIC—Combinations up to 144; Hall Primer; Werner 1, Part 1.

GEOGRAPHY—Carroll's Around the World 1; begin Payne's Geographical Nature Studies.

HISTORY—Eggleston's Stories of Great Americans for Little Americans.

MUSIC—Normal Course, see outline of supervisor of music.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE—Century Oral Lesson Book as guide.

NATURE STUDY—See directions for Grade 1.

DRAWING—See outline of supervisor of drawing.

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

FOURTH GRADE—FOURTH YEAR.

ENGLISH.

Reading—Harper's Third Reader; Cyr Third Reader; see also direction for Grade 3.

Spelling—First term, see Grade 2; second and third terms, Gilbert's Speller, pages 1 to 58, supplemented by special drill on prepared lists.

Writing—Spencerian, Vertical Number 2.

Language—Mother Tongue to Page 104. Follow Special Outline.

Literature—Follow the Special Outline.

ARITHMETIC—Werner Book 1, part 2.

GEOGRAPHY—Glimpses of the World, Book 2, Complete Payne's Geographical Nature Studies, Natural Elementary to Page 65.

HISTORY—Legends of the Red Men.

MUSIC—Normal Course, see outline of supervisor of music.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE—New Century Primer; unite the grades.

NATURE STUDY—See direction for Grade 1.

DRAWING—See outline of supervisor of drawing.

FIFTH GRADE—FIFTH YEAR.

ENGLISH.

Reading—Normal Fourth Reader; see also directions for Grade 3.

Spelling—Gilbert's Speller, pages 80 to 100 and review.

Writing—Spencerian Vertical, Number 3.

Language—Mother Tongue, Book 1 to 205. Follow Special Outline.

Literature—Follow Special Outline.

ARITHMETIC—Werner, Book 1 completed.

GEOGRAPHY—Natural Elementary to page 111.

HISTORY—Selections from Guerber's Story of the Romans; begin Guerber's Story of the Thirteen Colonies.

MUSIC—Normal Course, see outline of supervisor of music.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE—New Century Primer; unite the grades.

NATURE STUDY—See directions for Grade 1.

DRAWING—See outline of supervisor of drawing.

GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.

SIXTH GRADE—SIXTH YEAR.

ENGLISH.

Reading—Cyr's Fourth Reader, Harper's Fourth Reader.
Drill on special selections for good expression; see also directions for Grade 3.

Spelling—Gilbert's Speller, pages 100 to 130 and review.

Writing—Spencerian Vertical, Numbers 3 and 4.

Language—Follow Special Outline; constant practice in writing English; Mother Tongue Book 1 completed.

Literature—Follow the Special Outline.

ARITHMETIC—Werner Book 2, Part 1.

GEOGRAPHY—Complete Natural Elementary; Morton's Advanced to page 71.

HISTORY—Complete Thirteen Colonies; begin Guerber's Story of the Great Republic.

MUSIC—Normal Course, see outline of supervisor of music.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE—New Century Intermediate; unite the grades.

NATURE STUDY—See directions for Grade 1.

DRAWING—See outline of supervisor of drawing.

SEVENTH GRADE—SEVENTH YEAR.

ENGLISH.

Reading—Maynard's English Literature Classics; drill on special selections for good expression; see also directions for Grade 3.

Spelling—Gilbert's Speller, pages 130 to 155 and review.

Writing—Spencerian Vertical, Numbers 3 and 4.

Language—Metcalf's English Grammar, complete to Part 1; continue Composition work of Grade 6.

Literature—Follow the Special Outline.

ARITHMETIC—Werner Number 2 completed.

GEOGRAPHY—Morton's Advanced continued through the year; By Land and Sea.

HISTORY—Finish Great Republic; read also various stories from English History.

MUSIC—Normal Course, see outline of supervisor of music.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE—New Century Intermediate; unite the grades.

NATURE STUDY—See direction for Grade 1.

DRAWING—See outline of supervisor of drawing.

GRAMMAR AND HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

EIGHTH GRADE—EIGHTH YEAR.

ENGLISH.

Reading—Special drill for expression; for subject matter see Special Literature Outline.

Spelling—Drill the three higher classes together on commonly misspelled words. Have individual lists made out.

Language—Metcalf's English Grammar; Part 2; constant practice in composition.

Literature—Follow the Special Outline.

ARITHMETIC—Completed and reviewed.

GEOGRAPHY—Advanced completed.

HISTORY—Montgomery's American History to 1783.

MUSIC—Normal Course, see outline of supervisor of music.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE—Blaisdell's Physiology completed.

NATURE STUDY—See direction for Grade 1.

DRAWING—See outline of supervisor of drawing.

NINTH GRADE—NINTH YEAR.

ENGLISH.

Reading—Same as Grade 8; unite the grades.

Language—Metcalf's Part 3 completed; Lockwood's Common Errors in the Use of English, chapters 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11; constant practice in composition.

Literature—Follow the Special Outline.

MATHEMATICS.

Algebra—Milne's Elements.

BOOKKEEPING—Meserve's Single Entry.

HISTORY AND CIVICS—Montgomery's American History completed; Dole's American Citizen; study town, state and national governments, and state and national constitutions.

MUSIC—Normal Course, see outline of supervisor of music.

NATURE STUDY—See directions for Grade 1.

DRAWING—See outline of supervisor of drawing.

HIGH SCHOOL—FIRST YEAR.

LATIN—Collar & Daniel's First Book completed. Hours per week, 5.

ALGEBRA—Wells' through quadratics. Hours per week, 5.

PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY—Gilbert and Brigham; may be taken in place of Latin.

HISTORY—Ancient History to 814 A. D. Hours per week, 3.

ENGLISH—Hours per week, 5.

Rhetoric—Lockwood's.

Literature—Follow the special Outline.

REGULATIONS REGARDING COURSE OF STUDY ADOPTED FOR THE GRADED SCHOOLS.

SCHOLARSHIP—At the middle and close of each term a statement showing the progress and deportment of each pupil in the grammar and high school departments shall be sent to the parents. The committee request parents to examine same carefully, sign and return.

EXAMINATIONS—In all grades above primary, examinations shall be held at the middle and close of each term, and in case of absence of a pupil, such pupil must pass the examination before going on with the class.

PROMOTIONS—At the end of the year, at the close of the summer term in June, each pupil whose standing, computed from daily recitations and the regular examinations, averages for all studies 70 per cent shall be promoted to the next higher grade. A pupil whose average is less than 70 will seriously endanger his chances of promotion. Promotions will be publicly announced at the annual graduating exercises.

HONORS—The honors of valedictory and salutatory shall be assigned upon the basis for scholarship of the last year's course in the high school department.

RHETORICALS—Regular exercises in essay writing and in declamations or recitations shall be held in all grades above primary, and such exercises shall be marked same as in other studies.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

To the parents and citizens of the school district of Troy :

In accordance with our usual custom, we herewith submit to you our reports of the schools of Troy :

The committee are happy to state that the year has been upon the whole an exceedingly prosperous one.

The different schools have continued under the same instructors with a few slight changes which we will now enumerate.

Miss Grace Clark left us at the commencement of the fall term to accept a position in the Rindge schools and we procured as a substitute Miss Seaward of Manchester, N. H., under whose management the East Hill school made good progress.

At West Hill, Miss Gardner was obliged to give up her school on account of poor health and we procured Miss Barker of Nelson, N. H., to fill her place.

During the fall term on account of the congested condition of Mrs. Parker's and Miss Merrill's rooms (Mrs. Parker having seventy and Miss Merrill fifty pupils approximately) it was deemed advisable to appoint an assistant in these two rooms. To fill the position we appointed Miss Seaward, bringing Miss Barker from West Hill at the close of her term, to take Miss Seaward's school at East Hill. This addition to our corps of teachers has worked very satisfactorily and the chances are that we shall be obliged to continue the arrangement another year as the fourth and fifth grades will probably be materially increased.

At the beginning of the winter term, Miss Merrill left us to take a position at Winchendon, Mass., and we were very fortunate to procure Miss Edith Grant, who had previously taught in the Merri-field district. Miss Grant, during her stay in town, has shown marked improvement as a teacher and we think ourselves especially favored to be able to place her in charge of our intermediate department.

As to our other teachers, nothing needs to be said. We think we have as good, if not a better, corps of teachers than any other town of our size in the state.

We should be especially negligent, however, if we forgot to mention the improvement that has been made in music and drawing in the last year. This is an important part of our curriculum and one which we hope to continue for many years to come.

We graduated a class of two last June. It is a discouraging outlook to have our classes decrease in sizes as they have done heretofore.

We certainly have as good a course as is offered in any town of the county and it is surely up to the parents to keep their children in school. This subject is one that has been considered before and we can say very little without repeating ourselves.

The school buildings are all in very good condition, necessitating very few minor repairs in the last year.

There has also been an important change in the supervisory district. You probably are aware that with Winchester in the district it was not a good working district, Winchester having so many more schools and being so far situated necessitated too much of the supervisor's time.

At the meeting of the first supervisory district held at Troy in July it was deemed best to give Winchester leave to withdraw and Rindge was voted in to fill her place. Under the new regime things have progressed in first-rate shape, the new apportionment being as follows:

Dublin,	\$125 00
Fitzwilliam,	167 50
Rindge,	140 00
Troy,	167 50

We certainly hope the town will see fit to continue the supervisory idea as by it our schools have been brought to a higher level and also we have been materially assisted by the state, receiving \$471.00 in the past year. This addition to our school funds is intended to increase the efficiency of our schools.

1. By lengthening the school year.

2. By paying better salaries to teachers, thus enabling us to demand and employ a higher grade of teaching ability.

3. By securing expert supervision of our schools.

This aid is furnished us with the foregoing ideas in view and if we do not continue in the same way we can not expect it from the state in years to come.

You will notice in our financial report following that the books show a balance of \$519.05, practically the same as last year. There is, however, about \$40.00 due Fitzwilliam for tuition furnished scholars at Bowkerville which would make a balance of about \$480.

We recommend raising for the support of schools in addition to that required by law \$1,100 and for books and supplies \$250.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY S. PLATTS,

HENRY S. KIMBALL,

FRANKLIN RIPLEY,

School Board of Troy.

CALENDAR FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR, AUGUST, 1905, TO AUGUST, 1906.

PRIMARY AND SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS.

Fall term—Sept. 5, 1905, to Dec. 15, 1905, 15 weeks; vacation 2 weeks.

Winter term—Jan. 1, 1906, to Feb. 16, 1906, 7 weeks; vacation 5 weeks.

Spring term—March 26, 1906, to June 15, 1906, 12 weeks, vacation 11 weeks.

INTERMEDIATE, GRAMMAR AND HIGH.

Fall term—Sept. 5, 1905, to Dec. 15, 1905; vacation 2 weeks.

Winter term—Jan. 1, 1906, to Feb. 23, 1906, 8 weeks; vacation 3 weeks.

Spring term—March 19, 1906, to June 15, 1906, 13 weeks; vacation 11 weeks.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Pupils who have not been absent or tardy the entire year ending Aug. 1, 1904:

Merrifield School—Cora Frazier, Laura Merrifield, Ellen Merrifield, Eva Merrifield, Rosie Ross.

East Hill—Ralph P. Haskell.

Primary—Herbert Thompson.

Secondary—Archie W. Applin, Nellie Pastor, Edward Thompson, Bertha Watkinson, Ina Carson, Alice Duprey, Ruby Abbott, Rose M. Connors.

Grammar—Harriet H. Thompson.

Intermediate—Albert Simmonds, Harry Watkinson, Isabel Edleston, Eva Ward.

STATEMENT OF SCHOOL FUNDS.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, March 1, 1904,	\$502 63
From taxation, amount required by law,	1,265 00
From taxation, amount voted in addition,	1,400 00
From taxation, amount voted for supplies,	200 00
Literary fund from state,	138 60
One-half of supervisor's salary from state,	167 50
From state to equalize school privileges under section 6, chapter 77, laws of 1898,	471 00
Dog tax,	204 15
Delony fine,	10 00
Town of Richmond, tuition for Ross children,	44 00
Supplies sold,	50
Interest on school fund note,	24 00
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	\$4,427 38

EXPENDITURES.

Expenditures as per statement in detail,	\$3,908 33
Balance on hand,	519 05
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	\$4,427 38

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.
TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Alice E. Treat, grammar and high, 36 weeks at \$14,	\$504 00
Eva M. Fisher, grammar, 36 weeks at \$10,	360 00
Fannie A. Merrill, intermediate, 28 weeks at \$9,	252 00
Fannie A. Merrill, intermediate, 3 days at \$2,	6 00
Hattie C. Parker, secondary, 34 weeks at \$9,	306 00
Jessie Brown, primary, 33 weeks at \$9,	297 00
Edith H. Grant, intermediate, 7 weeks and 2 days at \$8,	59 20
Edith H. Grant, Merrifield, 13 weeks at \$6,	78 00
Edith H. Grant, Merrifield, 16 weeks at \$7,	112 00
Mabelle Seaward, assistant, 8 weeks and 1 day at \$7,	57 16
Mabelle Seaward, East Hill, 14 weeks at \$6,	84 00
Cara Barker, West and East Hill, 17 weeks and 1 day at \$6,	103 20
Grace Clark, East Hill, 13 weeks at \$7,	91 00
Grace Gardner, West Hill, 13 weeks at \$6,	78 00
Abbie Chellis, instructor in drawing,	125 00
Lizzie Maynard, instructor in music,	136 33
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	\$2,648 89

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

American Book Co.,	\$46 26
E. E. Babb & Co.,	15 56
J. L. Hammett Co.,	12 84
Milton Bradley Co.,	7 09
Perry Mason Co.,	2 10
Houghton, Mifflin Co.,	3 96
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	12 44
Ginn & Co.,	16 88
Eagle Pencil Co.,	17 50
Kenney Bros. & Co.,	53 76
DeWolfe, Fiske & Co.,	15 41
The Morse Co.,	20 40

D. C. Heath,	5 50
Educational Publishing Co.,	63
Elizabeth G. Blodgett,	10 00
W. H. Spalter,	75
W. L. Metcalf,	2 25
R. W. Musgrove,	10 00
C. L. Downs,	1 05
Express, freight, cartage and postage,	3 79
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	\$258 17

GENERAL EXPENDITURES.

VILLAGE SCHOOL.

Stephen Silcox, cleaning,	\$9 25
Stephen Silcox, services as janitor,	81 25
Stephen Silcox, work, freight, etc.,	35 40
Stephen Silcox, work hired, help as per bill,	20 81
Stephen Silcox, services as janitor and clock,	51 00
O. B. Howe, wood,	10 00
Stephen Silcox, services as janitor,	94 75
C. W. Whitney, sundries, 1903-4,	19 38
Troy Blanket Mills, coal,	17 83
Troy Blanket Mills, coal and sundries,	176 20
H. S. Cowell, graduation address,	10 00
Albie Chellis, 1 dozen compasses,	1 00
Blackboard dressing,	2 25
Repairs on heating apparatus,	3 60
E. P. Kimball & Son, sundries,	11 18
C. W. Whitney, sundries,	8 13
C. D. Farrar, splints,	1 00
Paper, postage and typewriting,	1 26
Mrs. Ed. Clark, mileage for Frazier boy,	44 50
Gould & Cutter, floor oil,	6 75
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	\$605 54

WEST HILL SCHOOL.

Grace Gardner, care of room (2 terms),	\$3 00
J. M. Foster, wood,	5 00
C. W. Barker, care of room,	1 50
Troy Blanket Mills, shingles, etc.,	29 85
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	\$39 35

EAST HILL SCHOOL.

Francis Clark, wood and repairs,	\$5 30
Stephen Silcox, flag pole and irons,	1 84
Grace Clark, care of room,	2 00
Mary Merrifield, wood (2 cords),	11 00
Mabelle Seaward, care of room, fall,	1 50
Roger Haskins, care of room, winter,	75
Cleaning schoolhouse and outhouse,	2 50
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	\$24 89

MERRIFIELD SCHOOL.

Mary Merrifield, wood, 3 cords,	\$15 00
Edith Grant, care of room, spring,	1 50
John Mitchell, cleaning schoolhouse,	2 50
Edith Grant, care of room, fall,	1 50
Edith Grant, kindling wood,	1 00
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	\$21 50

SUPERVISOR.

Share of school district of Troy in salary of supervisor:	
One-third year ending Aug. 1, 1904, paid Dr. Geo.	
Emerson, treasurer,	\$86 66
Two-thirds year ending March 1, 1905, paid Dr. Geo.	
Emerson, treasurer,	223 33
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	\$309 99

RECAPITULATION.

Teachers' salaries,	\$2,648 89
Books and supplies,	258 17

General expenditures, Village school,	605 54
General expenditures, West Hill,	39 35
General expenditures, East Hill,	24 89
General expenditures, Merrifield,	21 50
Supervisor,	309 99
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	\$3,908 33

Attendance for the year ending Aug. 1, 1904, of pupils who have been present at least two weeks:

Primary,	41
Secondary,	62
Intermediate,	55
Grammar,	29
Grammar and High,	22
East Hill,	23
West Hill,	20
Merrifield school,	14
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Net expenses to March 1, 1905,	\$3,908 33
Average cost per pupil per year,	14 77

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing report of the school board of the town of Troy, N. H., and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN H. BIGELOW,
WARREN W. KIMBALL.

Troy, N. H., Feb. 23, 1905.

Auditors.

REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1905.

	Dr.	
Cash in treasury,		\$502 63

Received for books and fine,	10 50
Received from Richmond, tuition,	44 00
From town, for support of schools,	2,665 00
From town, for supplies,	200 00
From town, interest on school fund note,	24 00
From town, dog license, 1903,	204 15
From state, literary fund,	138 60
From state, proportion school fund,	638 50
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	\$4,427 38

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By paying 97 orders of school board,	\$3,908 33
Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1905,	519 05
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	\$4,427 38

ASA C. DORT,
Treasurer.

We hereby certify we have examined the foregoing report of the treasurer of the school district of Troy, N. H., and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN H. BIGELOW,
WARREN W. KIMBALL,
Auditors.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS,

FOR THE YEAR 1904-1905.

To the School Board of Troy:

Gentlemen.—I have the honor to submit my report as superintendent of schools.

There are about thirty children of school age in the three out-lying districts. Five of these now attend the village school from preference and two more are thinking of coming.

To this small number the crowded lower grades of the village school presents a marked contrast. The smallest of the first four grades (not schools) contains more pupils than the three little schools taken together. These four classes have 139 pupils, 19 more than last year. The secondary and intermediate rooms have 116 children, about one-half of the total enrollment of the town.

The intermediate began the year with 56 pupils. There are now 47. Next fall there will be more rather than less, for the present third and fourth grades contain 68 children, eight more than last year.

Exactly one-third (69) of the pupils in the village school, or about 29 per cent of all in town, are to be found in one room, the secondary department. There are 38 in one class, grade 3.

Primary pupils need more individual attention than those of higher grades. One teacher with 69 children can give in the schoolhouse but little over four minutes to each child in all his recitations and his seat work.

To make room for others, it is necessary to promote pupils who ought to repeat the year's work. This practice is particularly objectionable in the primary grades. Unless children have at least learned to read fairly well they are helpless when several new textbooks are put into their hands in grade 4. The transition from grade 3 to grade 4 is the hardest in the elementary school.

Under such conditions the work of the intermediate department is bound to be unsatisfactory. A considerable number of the pupils cannot do the required work well.

The ideal solution of this problem would be to divide the children in grades 2, 3, 4 and 5 into three separate schools. This would give 39 in a room, as many as any one teacher ever ought to have. Since there is no extra room this is impracticable.

A year ago last fall the plan was tried of having the primary teacher dismiss her classes early and take several recitations daily from the secondary department. The result was a decided gain for that school. This arrangement was continued this year. Last fall, however, there were 40 children in the primary department and the number in the secondary also increased. The primary teacher

carried this burden faithfully and well but it was too much to put upon any teacher. She needed all her time for her own pupils.

Late in November the West Hill school was closed. Only four children were then attending. It was decided to transfer the teacher to East Hill and place the East Hill teacher in the village school as an assistant.

In this capacity she has spend a little less than one-third of her time in the intermediate department and the remainder in the secondary.

In the intermediate the nine poorest readers in each grade were formed into two special classes and given extra drill every day by the assistant. Her other work in the room consisted in giving individual help in the arithmetic of grade 5 and in correcting the spelling books and arithmetic papers of both classes.

Both of the large grades of the secondary department were divided in part of the work. The assistant taught in this room eight classes daily. Regular lessons—short and simple but systematic—in geography, physiology and history were introduced into this school. Without an assistant there is not time for these. That primary geography especially should be taught in the third grade is most important. Without this work as a foundation a class is not able to cope with the regular text-book of the next year.

Four-fifths of the assistant's time in school hours has been given to conducting regular recitations. This is very different from merely correcting papers, occasionally hearing a class and doing the odd jobs. For this no great qualifications are required. When, however, most of the assistant's time is devoted to the difficult task of class teaching a good teacher must be employed.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY B. STEARNS.

Fitzwilliam, N. H., Feb. 25, 1905.

FIREWARDS' REPORT.

We have only one fire to report the past year.

Sept. 19.—Troy Blanket Mills hay barn was totally destroyed with contents.

The apparatus of the department is in good condition.

Respectfully submitted,

ASA C. DORT,
Chief.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TROY PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The trustees of the public library submit the following report for the year ending February 15, 1905:

Amount on hand, February 15, 1904,	\$159 91
Appropriation for 1904,	62 00
Received for catalogues,	4 10
Received for fines and cards,	10 99
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	\$237 00
Paid A. B. Skinner Co., books,	\$76 68
Balch Brothers, books,	2 90
J. H. Gilbert, histories,	17 65
Sentinel Printing Co., printing catalogues,	34 50
Labor, cataloging books,	12 30
Library cards,	3 50
Ruled slips,	1 75
Record book,	25
Express on catalogues,	30
Express on books,	50
Express on cards, etc.,	35
Freight on books,	25
Paper and postage,	31
Sundries,	24
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	\$151 48
Amount on hand, February 15, 1905,	\$85 52

Since our last report forty books were added last spring and thirty-five more are now ready for distribution with more to fol-

low, and while there is an unexpended balance the whole amount will be used in paying for books ordered as soon as they are all received.

During the year the books have been re-catalogued and a catalogue published for the benefit of the patrons of the library. No special appropriation having been made for that purpose, the expense was taken from the general fund and a small amount has been charged those wishing catalogues to reimburse the fund. Appended is a partial list of the recent additions so far as they have been received and catalogued. It is designed that these leaves be removed and placed in the back of the catalogue.

The smallest number of books taken out in any one day was forty-two, on February 4, 1904, and the largest number, one hundred and thirty-four, on February 20, 1905.

ASA C. DORT,
MELVIN T. STONE,
HENRY L. BARNARD,
Trustees.

POETRY.

No.

- P. 15. Holmes' Complete Poems.
P. 16. Tennyson's Complete Poems.

JUVENILE.

- J. 152. Five Little Peppers and Their Friends. Margaret Sidney.
J. 153. Monarch, the Big Bear. Thompson Seton.
J. 154. Randy's Good Times. Amy Brooks.
J. 155. Wilderness Ways. Wm. J. Long.

TRAVEL.

- T. 61. A Sailor's Log. Robley D. Evans.

MISCELLANEOUS.

- M. 122. Old Gorgan Graham. G. H. Lorimer.
M. 123. "Sequil." Henry A. Shute.
M. 124. The Simple Life. Charles Wagner.

FICTION.

- F. 514. Beverly of Graustark. Geo. B. McCutcheon.
- F. 515. A Ladder of Swords. Sir Gilbert Parker.
- F. 516. Dr. Luke of the Labrador. Norman Duncan.
- F. 517. God's Good Man. Marie Corelli.
- F. 518. Samantha at the St. Louis Exposition. Marietta Holley.
- F. 519. Sonny, a Christmas Guest. Ruth McEnery Stuart.
- F. 520. The Clansman. Thomas Dixon, Jr.
- F. 521. The Crossing. Winston Churchill.
- F. 522. The Mountains. Stewart Edward White.
- F. 523. The Prospector. Ralph Connor.
- F. 524. The Rose of Old St. Louis. Mary Dillon.

REFERENCE.

- R. 33. A. L. A. Catalogue.
- R. 34. Author List of New Hampshire State Library.
- R. 35. Author List of New Hampshire State Library Supplement.

HISTORICAL.

- H. 157. History of Keene, New Hampshire. S. G. Griffin.
The World's History and its Makers. 10 volumes.
- H. 158. Vol. I. Ancient and Mediæval.
- H. 159. Vol. II. Modern Europe.
- H. 160. Vol. III. American History.
- H. 161. Vol. IV. Great Philosophers.
- H. 162. Vol. V. Famous Women.
- H. 163. Vol. VI. Famous Warriors.
- H. 164. Vol. VII. Foreign Statesman.
- H. 165. Vol. VIII. American Statesman.
- H. 166. Vol. IX. Literature of the Nineteenth Century.
- H. 167. Vol. X. Achievements of the Nineteenth Century.

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1899, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1904.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Jan. 7	Joseph R.	M	4	Francoise Picard	Corrine Guertin	Blacksmith	Canada	Canada	37	26
" 12	Harry Clinton	M	1	Harry W. Mason	Josephine LaPoint	Laborer	Marlboro	"	22	21
" 17	Solia	F	1	Andrew Mattson	Hilda Typo	"	Finland	Finland	34	20
Feb. 3	Frank Day	M	10	Frank Marrotte	Emma Barron	"	Canada	Nova Scotia	39	43
" 20	Lena Cora	F	3	Neciphor Bergeron	Antoinette	Work in boxshop	"	Canada	22	20
" 22	Emma Lydia	F	5	Henry Frazier	Mary Woods	Work in sawmill	"	"	34	28
" 26	Theodore Leon	M	1	Frank A. Rhoades	Etta Johnson	Work in pailshop	Springfield, Vt.	Royalston, Ms.	21	17
Mar 10	Arthur Edward	M	3	Edward Bonnette	Celina Levesque	Work in boxshop	Canada	Canada	24	24
" 15	Helen Mandoline	F	1	William D. Nelson	Emma LaPoint	Quarryman	Sweden	"	29	19
" 18	Wamji Armas	M	1	Frank Hakala	Selma Westrin	Laborer	Finland	Finland	21	28
" 18	Dorothy Helen	F	1	Charles Lang	Rosa' Paro	"	Boston, Ms.	"	24	18
Apr. 8	Beatrice Louise	F	2	Frank Paro	Mary J. Delory	Work in mill	Essex Junction Vt	Vermont	24	22
May 6	"	F	1	Joseph Boufford	Eva McDonl	Laborer	Canada	Canada	30	25
" 11	Albina	F	1	Nicolas Sari	Hannah Pusakala	Quarryman	Finland	Finland	23	23
June 8	Toiro Nikalai	M	1	Napoleon Bonnette	Alma Gervais	Boxmaker	Canada	Canada	26	22
" 14	Leonard Napoleon	M	6	Nelson Abare	Hattie Marrotte	"	Troy	"	31	"
" 27	Mary Ellen	F	1	Charles Kujanen	Mary Sari	Quarryman	Finland	Finland	25	24
" 28	Sulo Emil	M	2	Alfred Freeman	Louisa Pallidee	Laborer	"	Canada	44	34
July 2	Edward Melvin	M	6	John Smith	Emily Boht	"	England	England	35	33
" 26	Albert	M	1	Alfred Oainen	Hanna Purala	"	Finland	Finland	21	22
Aug. 2	Emmi J.	F	1	Asa J. Hartwell	Annie C. Hall	"	Winchendon, Ms.	Claremont	22	18
" 4	Freddie Asa	M	2	Moses Derochers	Julia Harois	Farmer	Canada	Canada	23	19
" 14	Mary Ellen	F	11	Francois Bois	Sarah Shackett	"	"	Vermont	45	41
" 16	Charles Edward	M	4	John Hankala	Manda Hankala	Quarryman	Finland	Finland	30	23
Sept. 3	"	M	2	Emil Winter	Sanna Hyppya	Laborer	"	"	33	21
" 4	Aino Maria	F	5	Matti Raatikainen	Ida Manninen	Farmer	"	"	35	32
" 16	Uno William	M	2	David Andrews	Clara Gesner	Brickmaker	West Woods Ct.	New Haven, Ct.	22	19
Oct. 1	Clarence Frederick	M	1	David Andrews	Clara Gesner	"	"	"	22	19
" 4	David Burton	M	2	Edward Marrotte	Phebe Lasonde	Laborer	Canada	Canada	24	24
" 4	Mary Eva	F	7	Fred Frazier	Nellie Goodnough	"	"	Richmond	24	28
" 12	Alice Bertha	F	1	"	"	"	"	"	33	33

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Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Nov. 9	Mary Elizabeth	F	2	James E. Bevan	Annie J. Barron	Painter	Castine, Me.	Ireland	34	31
" 20		F	1	John Poisy	Selina Dupres	Laborer	Canada	Peterboro	19	19
Dec. 19	John	M	5	John Shackett	Philomen Dube	"	Vermont	Canada	36	26
" 30	Beatrice Emily	F	3	Nelson Guyette	Abbie Freeman	"	Canada	Marlboro	26	26

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1904.

Date of Mar- riage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition	Name Residence and Official Sta- tion of person by whom mar- ried.
Apr. 20	Troy	Harold E. Boyden	Troy	24	Clerk	Troy	Wm. J. Boyden	Winchester	1st	Rev D. R. Herrick
" 25	"	Florence G. Harris	"	22	At home	"	Phoebe E. Aldrich	Richmond	1st	Troy
		Edward Abare	"	32	Farmer	Rutland, Vt.	Benjamin Harris	Saugus, Ms.		
		Annie Mills	"	20	At home	Fall River	Abbie Whipple	Fitchburg	1st	Rev. D. A. O'Neil
May 16	"	George T. Abbott	"	29	Weaver	Auburn	Moses Abare	Canada	1st	Troy
" 21	"	Rosie Masse	"	21	"	Canada	Hubert Mills	New Brunswick	1st	
		Konstan Wiiperg	"	24	Quarryman	Finland	Alex. L. Hiroux	Canada	2d	Rev. D. A. O'Neil
June 6	"	Eliina Hanka	"	25	Weaver	"	Freeman Abbott	"	1st	Troy
" 16	"	Charles Rocheleau	"	23	Work in mill	Otter River, Ms.	Ch'topher Masse	"	1st	
		Delia Boise	"	17	"	Fall River, Ms.	Julia Currier	"	1st	
		William E. Wheeler	"	22	Fireman	England	Malvin Girouard	Finland	1st	Rev. H. S. Kimball
July 1	Fitchburg	William Jasberg	Fitchburg	31	Quarryman	Finland	Jonas Wiiperg	"	1st	Troy
		Olga Hakkarainen	Troy	31	Weaver	"	Kaarie Hanka	"	1st	
Aug. 23	Troy	James P. Carpenter	"	21	Laborer	Cream Hill, Vt.	Annakaisa	Canada	1st	Rev. D. A. O'Neil
		Lora Bushey	"	18	"	Canada	Noel Rocheleau	"	1st	Troy
							Delia Blake	"	1st	
							Frank Boise	"	1st	
							Sarah Shackett	England	1st	Rev. H. S. Kimball
							Edward Wheeler	Troy	1st	
							Sarah Collins	Maine	2d	Rev. J. Nissila
							Alonzo B. Abbott	Finland	1st	Fitchburg
							Henrie'a White'b	"	1st	
							John Jasberg	"	1st	
							Epa Karhonen	"	1st	
							H. Hakkarainen	"	1st	
							G. Hamalainen	"	1st	
							Eugene Carpent'r	Vermont	1st	Rev. H. S. Kimball
							Ville Shackett	Canada	1st	Troy
							Moses Bushey	"	1st	
							Sophia Freeman	"	1st	

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1904.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Sept. 3 Troy		Alek Sansdet Helmii Hamalainen	Troy "	22 21	Laborer Work in mill	Finland "	Penjam Sansdet Ruusa Nymdro P. Hamalainen Majlasi'a Wiikki	Finland " "	1st 1st	Rev. HSK Kimball Troy
Oct. 23 "		John Metcalf Ethel J. Demo	Winchester Richmond	21 16	Work boxsh'p At home	Winchester Montague, Ms.	John Metcalf Mamie Rich Demo Virginia Clark	Wisconsin Winchester	1st 1st	Rev. HSK Kimball Troy

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1904.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.			Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 14	Joseph R. Picard	79	4	7 Troy	M	Canada	Canada	Francoise X. Picard	Corinne Guertin
" 27	Sarah L. Lewis	73	4	12 Jaffrey	F	Marlboro	Groton, Ms.	Noah Porter	Abigail Hebert
Feb. 24	John Jarvis	73	4	7 Ireland	M	Ireland	Ireland	Arthur Jarvis	Leticia Patterson
" 23	Louisa D. Barnard	20	1	5 Troy	M	Unity	Troy	Charles M. Barnard	Harriet K. Lawrence
Mar. 4	Eunice A. Parker	68	10	2 Fitzwilliam	F	Fitzwilliam	Fitzwilliam	Calch Sweetser	Polly White
" 7	Mary G. Wheeler	39	8	10 Concord, Vt.	F	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Concord, Vt.	Harvey S. Gates	Adelaide B. Reed
" 8	Bradley Hill	83	7	15 Swansey	M	Finland	Finland	Jonathan Hill	Melinda Day
" 17	Tovo W. Mallila	61	17	7 Troy	M	Finland	Finland	Frank Mallila	Annie Hankala
" 19	James Carpenter	55	11	10 Mineville, N. Y.	M	Finland	Finland	David Carpenter	Flora Gravelle
Apr. 7	Eliza W. Clark	86	4	24 Oakham, Ms.	F	W	Fitchburg, Ms.	Eliza Wheeler	Eliza Wheeler
June 16	Serepta A. Clark	75	3	7 Framingham, Ms.	F	W	W	Oren Brooks	Julia A. Wright
" 18	Louisa Pallardy	75	6	4 Canada	F	W	W	Marsena E. Roberts	Eva F. Hammond
" 26	Herbert Freeman	86	2	24 Canada	M	W	W	Jedidiah Foster	Linda Demary
July 11	Oliver L. Nash	73	10	22 Chesterfield	M	W	W	Job Watkinson	Jane Edleston
Aug. 10	Edward S. Foster	70	9	19 Jaffrey	M	W	W	Simeon Merrifield	Lois Stone
" 27	Clara Watkinson	16	5	18 England	F	S	England	Henry H. Wheeler	Tabitha Wright
Sept. 22	Levi Merrifield	77	8	24 Fitzwilliam	M	S	Newfame, Vt.	Franklin Woodward	Louisa Iyer
Oct. 17	Lyman K. Wheeler	76	5	17 " "	M	S	Ludbury, Ms.	Edward P. Foster	Hattie S. Cole
" 27	Louisa M. Cobb	73	8	23 Rindge	F	S	Marlow	John Foisy	Sarah E. Green
Nov. 2	Warren E. Johnson	11	0	10 Richmond	M	S	Fitzwilliam	John Foisy	Selina Dupre
" 2	Ole Ray Foster	11	0	8 Fitzwilliam	M	S	Peterboro		
" 21	— Foisy	1	1	1 Troy	F	S	Canada		

* Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MELVIN T. STONE,
Town Clerk.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the town of Troy qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said town on the second Tuesday, the 14th day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1—To choose by ballot and major vote a town clerk, three selectmen, a town treasurer, a road agent or agents, and all other town officers and agents.

ART. 2—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance of the poor.

ART. 3—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for repairing highways and bridges.

ART. 4—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for school supplies.

ART. 5—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for all other necessary town charges.

ART. 6—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the public library in addition to the sum required by law.

ART. 7—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of the police court the coming year.

ART. 8—To see what sum of money the town will raise for street lights or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 9—To see if the town will vote to raise such sums of money as may be necessary for free band concerts, or take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 10—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for Decoration day and choose a committee to expend the same.

ART. 11—To see if the town will vote to exempt from taxation money borrowed from residents of the town.

ART. 12—To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to borrow money to pay town charges.

ART. 13—To hear the reports of agents, auditors, or committees heretofore chosen and take any action in relation thereto.

ART. 14—To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this twenty-second day of February, 1905.

ORA C. MASON,
ALFRED G. LAWRENCE,
WILLIAM J. BOYDEN,
Selectmen of Troy.

A true copy of warrant—Attest.

ORA C. MASON,
ALFRED G. LAWRENCE,
WILLIAM J. BOYDEN,
Selectmen of Troy.

